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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Karighattam et al.

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Before the Examiner: Lee, Andrew Chung Cheung

Title: MECHANISM TO STRIP LARQ HEADER AND PRESERVE

LARQ HEADER IN STATUS FRAME

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Dear Sir-

In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of May 3, 2006, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on August 3, 2006, please reconsider the rejections of the claims in view of the following remarks:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.